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WILL RESTRICT HOP ACREAGE

The Growers Say Something Must be Done for Better Prices.

At a meeting of the Sacramento County Hop-Growers, held yesterday afternoon in Cavanaugh's Hall, Secretary W. E. Lovdal read a communication from William H. Eagan, a hopgrower at Brooks, Oregon. In the course of his letter, Mr. Eagan wrote concerning the movement to reduce the acreage in hops: "I am pleased to learn that California has become interested in the movement. It seems to me that it is the only plan that will guarantee the grower a fair price for hops. The movement has universal approval in Oregon."

Mr. Eagan enclosed a circular calling for a Convention of Oregon hop-growers, to be held at Salem, for the purpose of agreeing upon some plan to cut down the acreage in hops and increase prices for the growers.

Elwood Bruner, who had been instructed at a previous meeting of the hop-growers to draw up a call for a State Convention, addressed the meeting yesterday afternoon. He said that there was no doubt that an organization to regulate the production of hops could be legally formed. Mr. Bruner then read the resolutions which he had been instructed to write. The resolutions recommended that a co-operative association be incorporated under the Statute of 1895, to be composed of the growers of California, each grower to be a member of the corporation; that each member of the Association shall sign an agreement binding himself to abide by the by-laws of the Association, failing to do which the association may enforce the same in the law courts; that no agreement shall be binding upon any one until — per cent. of all the hop acreage of the State is represented by those who have signed the agreements; that the plan we recommend contemplates the formation of similar Associations in the four great hop-growing States, viz: California, Oregon, Washington and New York; that upon the formation of Associations in each of the above named States an organization be effected, composed of representatives from each of the States, to the end that uniformity may be observed and all the hop growers of the United States treated with fairness and impartiality.

The resolutions recommended the holding of a State Convention of hop growers.

J. M. McMorry said that he would not go into any combination, but that he would be willing to cut down his acreage if other hop growers did.

Thos. B. Lovdal declared that if last year's crop had been reduced 10 per cent. prices would have been increased 100 per cent. Lovdal believed that the Association should be given power not only to reduce the acreage, but, if necessary to keep up prices, to order part of the harvested crop destroyed. It was agreed however that that question should be settled at the proposed State Convention.

The subject was also discussed by James Rooney, George Wittenbrock and P. C. Drescher. The latter said that the need of the organization proposed had been proved by the ruinous prices paid for hops for the past four or five years. He advised perfecting a local organization, tho it might not do a great deal of good.

The Bruner resolutions were adopted.

The following committee was appointed to call on hop-growers thruout the district to interest them in the plans adopted and to induce them to help out by paying in an assessment of ten cents per acre for expenses: W. G. Jasper, Wheatland; C. Colquhoun, American River; D. Flint, Cosumnes; W. H. Leeman, Yolo; A. A. Merkley, New Hope and vicinity. W. E. Lovdal was added to the committee. On motion of Mr. Slight, a committee of three, consisting of S. B. Slight, George Brewer and F. V. Flint, was appointed to draw up a program for the next meeting.—Sacramento Bee.

Machinery Arrived.

The machinery of the Ukiah Oil Development Co. which was ordered some time ago arrived last Friday night and is now being put in readiness preparatory to boring for oil. The value of the machinery is between $6000 and $7000. It is expected that boring for oil will commence about June 1st. The members of the corporation feel sure that they will strike it rich.

Memorial Day Program.

Those in charge of the preparation of the program for Memorial Day, May 30th, are exerting themselves to make the occasion one of more than usual interest. The line up for the procession will take place in front of Marks' Opera House at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, and the procession will move in the following order: Band, K. P. & U. R. K. P., Odd Fellows, Woodmen, Firemen, G. A. R. Post.

At the cemetery the Women's Relief Corps will conduct ceremonies over the graves of the unknown dead, after which the graves of the veterans will be decorated. The public is cordially invited to join in the procession and exercises. In the evening a high class program will be rendered at Marks' Opera House, as follows:

Music.....Orchestra
Invocation.....Rev. Mr. Gillis
Quartette.....Messrs. Carothers, Jamison, Hittell, Joseph.
Bow Mandolin Selection.....Prof. Barlow
Lincoln's Address.....Prof. Caughey
Music.....Orchestra
Oration.....D. Leishman
Marseillese Hymn..Miss Lura Kirtley
Columbia.....Audience

Ladies Robbed

Last Tuesday evening two ladies who called upon Mrs. Carson, who resides at the Fred Pitner place 1½ miles above Ukiah, were robbed of their purses and buggy robes by an unknown party. They left their purses on the buggy seat at the gate, intending to stop only a few minutes. A man who was sitting on the porch saw some one on horseback stop for a moment near the buggy and it was doubtless he who robbed the buggy. One of the purses contained $7.00 and the other 50 cents. Two robes were also taken.

Death of Miss Lydia Morby.

With sadness we announce the death of Miss Lydia Morby, who had been seriously ill for several days. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Morby, of this city and died yesterday (Thursday) after noon at 10 minutes to 5 o'clock. The attending physicians were Doctors Bowles, Bond and Moore. The cause of death was appendicitis. Deceased was born in Sweden, Dec. 10th, 1882. The funeral will take place tomorrow as announced in notices.

J. R. Banks and Oliver Meyers were up from Hopland Wednesday on a business trip. Mr. Banks is president of the Hopland Fruit Co. and Mr. Meyers is a director. They are now erecting a large fruit dryer and expect to do a large drying business this fall.

TOWN AND COMMUNITY.

Local Brieflets About Some People You Know.

Many Short Items Concerning the Happenings of The Week.

I. C. Reed has been on the sick list for two or three weeks.

J. V. Starr was among the Fort Braggers in town this week.

Luther Redemeyer is down on a visit from his home in Willits.

J. W. Utter, a teacher of Potter Valley, was in town Saturday.

J. Banks, of Lakeport, visited in town last Saturday and Sunday.

An excursion train will be run from San Francisco to Ukiah next Sunday.

Albert Brunner spent several days in the metropolis this week on business.

Carl Yordi and W. C. Weeks were over from Boonville this week on business.

H. H. Morris and wife are visiting relatives and friends in town for a few days.

Charles Jennings and Miss Louise Lahm were married in Willits on the 16th inst.

Misses Minnie and Alice Wright were visitors to the county seat last Saturday.

Reese Clow was over from Philo Tuesday attending to business and meeting old friends.

J. W Oates, a popular attorney of Santa Rosa, had legal business in town last Monday.

J. A. Joyce, principal of Willits school, came down on a political mission last Saturday.

Thos. Cureton, of Point Arena, passed thru town Tuesday en route to Willits on business.

Nat Waltrip, who was stricken with apoplexy last week, is reported to be better at this writing.

W. J. Sander, J. K. Piersol and John Kemppi were over from Fort Bragg Monday on legal business.

Clyde Brewer and wife expect to leave for Healdsburg in a few days, where they will spend the summer.

Vane Rogers has accepted a position with Irvine & Muir at Willits. He is now laid up with the mumps.

J. M. Harlan tuned the pianos in the I. O. O. F. and Masonic halls this week giving the best of satisfaction.

Miss Lulu Burke has been acting as deputy superintendent of schools during the illness of Mrs. Artie Barbee.

Attorney W. P. Thomas went to San Francisco on Tuesday's early train to attend to important legal business.

Misses Jiney Grant and Elizabeth Clendenin, two popular Hopland belles, were guests at the Palace last Saturday.

Will King and wife, of San Francisco, who have been visiting friends here for the past week, returned home Tuesday.

School trustee elections take place next Friday. In the Ukiah district the term of A. H. Ewert expires. He has made a good trustee and should be induced to accept the office again.

John Orr the genial proprietor of Hot Springs, was in town Saturday after a load of supplies. John is getting ready for a busy season and is erecting an 8 room cottage and several cabins.

W. F. Wade and wife, of Cahto, were guests at the Grand last Friday.

It is reported that some of our local hop men are contracting part of the coming crop at 9½ cents per pound.

E. B. Ball and wife, of Boonville, spent the first of the week in town. Mr. Ball reports everything flourishing in Anderson.

A. W. Foster, President of the C. & N. W. Ry. Co., was in town Saturday attending to railroad business and asylum matters.

The old Hatch saw mill in Sherwood will start up in a few days now, the proprietors having secured a contract for 2,000,000 feet of lumber recently.

Clark Bailey has completed the school census for Ukiah district. There were 294 boys and 296 girls, making a total of 590, as compared with 637 last year.

Oce Clark, who was tried for the crime of rape, was acquitted by the jury last Saturday. Attorney Thos. Rhodes assisted the district attorney in the prosecution of the case.

F. V. Flint, a hop buyer representing W. H. Leeman & Co. of Sacramento, was in town last week trying to induce the hop men to enter into an agreement to decrease the acreage in hops.

The annual commencement at P. M. College, Santa Rosa, took place first of this week. An election of trustees for the ensuing year was also held. Rev. W. F. Coffin, of Ukiah, was elected a trustee.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hold their Annual County Convention in Ukiah from June 14th to 17th inclusive. Mrs. Lizzie Ross Miller, President. Mrs. Catherine Morgan, Secretary.

Charley Clay's residence in Sherwood valley was destroyed by fire last week. Charley was away on his way to Nome and no one was at home but Mrs. Clay and her two children, consequently everything went up in smoke.

Dr. R. E. Reese left Greenwood Monday evening and arrived in Ukiah at 4 a. m. and took the early morning train for the city, having been called to San Jose on account of the serious illness of his wife, who has been visiting there for the past two weeks.

The regular meeting of the Improvement Club was held at Marks' Opera House Tuesday afternoon. An unusually large number was present and a great deal of enthusiasm shown. Thus far the attention of the club has been directed toward the improvement of the city park but in the near future the ladies hope to take up more general work. As there is to be an excursion Sunday it is earnestly hoped that each and every one will make an effort to have his property look as attractive as possible.

In another column will be found the announcement of J. A. Joyce for the Assembly, subject to the will of the democracy. Mr. Joyce is a young man of ability and has been one of Mendocino County's popular teachers for a number of years, having been principal of the Willits school for the past two years. He was raised on the coast and also has a wide acquaintance thruout the valleys. He has the elements of a strong candidate and if nominated will be elected by a large majority.

The surveyors that were surveying on the Low Gap route west of Ukiah have been called off and are now surveying on the Cloverdale route. If the road does not go north from Ukiah, it will leave the C. & N. line three miles south of Cloverdale and proceed down Rancheria creek entering Anderson valley near Philo. This will virtually kill Boonville and make the metropolis of Anderson valley near Philo.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

Important Occurrences of the Past Seven Days.

Summary of What has Just Occurred. Accidents and Incidents.

Happy Graduates.

The graduation exercises of the Ukiah high school were held in Marks' Opera House last evening and were listened to attentively by a crowded house. The program, which was interesting and instructive, was as follows;

Instrumental Solo....Francis Deering
Address by Class President.....James Sturtevant
Vocal Solo.....Robert Thomas
Class History.....Margaret Smith
Vocal Solo.....D. Henry Orsborn
Poem.....Eldon J. Rader
Music.....Quartette
Class Prophecy.....Fred S. Holman
Music.....Quartette
Oration.....Anderson Thomas
Music.....Quartette
Valedictory.....Jessie E. Marble
Music.....Quartette
Address.....P. B. Westerman
Class Song.....

The entire class of twenty-two were successful in passing the ordeal of the past week's examinations. they were J. F. Sturtevant, Sonoma Neil, Rachael Gounsky, Frances Deering, Anderson Thomas, Eldon J. Rader, Lewis D. Gibson, Margaret Smith, D. Henry Orsborn, F. M. Hoag, Joseph C. Hildreth, A. S. Henley, Myrtle E. Silberhorn, Alice Silberhorn, Fred S. Holman, Robert Thomas, R. S. Lowe, Guy Redwine, Jessie E. Marble, Blanche Barnett, Olin F. Nuckolls and George M. Thomas.

F. M. Hoag was the master of ceremonies. After the exercises the alumni and a few specially invited guests repaired to Mason's Hall, where the Juniors, Sophies and Freshies banqueted the Faculty and outgoing class.

Jury Disagreed.

The jury in the case of The People vs. J. D. Jamison for the murder of John Thompson on the 10th of December, 1899, occupied the attention of the superior court all of the latter part of last week. The prosecution was conducted by District Attorney Poage and A. J. Bledsoe. J. Q. White and W. P. Thomas represented the defendant. The case went to the jury Saturday noon and shortly after midnight they informed the judge that they could not agree on a verdict. The jury stood 7 for acquittal and 5 for conviction. The jury in the case were as follows: F. H. Vaughan, E. B. Whited, Wm. Moore, H. H. Gibson, Charlie Rippie, Jos. Meyer, Chris. Bradford, J. I. Carner, Z. G. York, O. E. Williams, W. O. Morby, and Mack Howard.

The case has since been dismissed by the District Attorney.

Surprise Party.

On Tuesday evening the jolly Kodinites delightfully surprised Miss Louise Ames at her home on Perkin street, the occasion being in honor of her birthday. A pleasant evening was passed by all present and at 10:30 dainty souvenirs were distributed by which partners were selected and all repaired to the dining room where a bountiful repast was served. At a late hour the guests departed, wishing Miss Louise many more happy birthdays.

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Foresters Banquet.

Court Duncan's Peak, A. O. F., of Hopland, gave a public banquet and dance at their hall in old Hopland last night. There was a short program arranged in the hall as a preliminary entertainment and then the members of the order and their invited guests repaired to the lower hall to partake of the banquet. Over 100 plates were spread and all enjoyed the elaborate repast. O. M. Goldaracena, of San Francisco, Past High Court Secretary, delivered a stirring address on Forestry and was enthusiastically applauded for his effort. The meeting was then thrown open and informal addresses were made by members of Court Duncan's Peak and by some of the guests from Ukiah. Dancing was then the order for the rest of the evening. There were many visitors present from Ukiah and Lakeport.

Court Duncan's Peak is making good headway and now has a membership of 35 or 40, having taken in 10 new members within the last month. Ukiah was represented by Dr. E. G. Case, Past High Chief Ranger; J. B. Sanford, Sub High Chief Ranger; W. G. Poage, P. C. R. Court Redwood.

Another Turn of the Wheel.

The California Cured Fruit Association has not succeeded in securing contracts for the requisite 90 per cent of the prune acreage of the State. The owners of 11 per cent of the acreage have held aloof and refused to sign. Under the arrangement heretofore made, this failure releases the packers and makes them free to purchase from whomsoever they please. But the packers do not seem to wish to avail themselves of this liberty. The packers have consented to purchase from none but members of the association. The following is part of a series of resolutions adopted by the packers at a recent meeting:

"It is agreed that this association of packers will buy fruit only from growers who have signed the contract with the association and they will not employ brokers, in the East or elsewhere, other than those who restrict themselves to handling the goods of the Association."

The packers also agree that the Directors of the Cured Fruit Association may, from time to time, fix prices of fruit "as in their judgment may be deemed advisable." It is probable that under these modifications the association will handle the present crop and it is possible that growers who have held off, will be glad to come in.

Almost a Centenarian.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dinwiddie, the mother of Mr. Frank Dinwiddie of the Ukiah House in this city, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Prather, in Sutter county last week at the age of 96 years. Her funeral took place at Knights Landing last Sunday. Mrs. Dinwiddie and her husband were among the early settlers of the Sacramento valley.

A Grand Opening.

The summer opening at Laurel Dell last Saturday and Sunday was a decided success in every particular. The opening ball Saturday evening was attended by 50 couple and was a decided social success. The concert on Sunday by the asylum orchestra was enjoyed by over 500 people. The success of the opening was largely due to Geo. Hurd, of this city, who has secured the Refreshment privileges for the season. H. Wambold, the proprietor of Laurel Dell, is a popular manager and knows how to please the public. Quite a number of Ukiahites attended and returned well pleased with the entertainment afforded them.

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CHAMP CLARK'S LETTER

Sulzer's Fight For Boer Recognition.

BLOCKED BY HENDERSON.

Free Ballot Principle Outraged by Republicans.

GOVERNMENT BY PROCONSULS.

Already It Is Bearing Bitter Fruit. Shortage Shown In the Cuban Postoffice Department—C. F. Neely's Fat Haul—$36,000 Missing—Shocking Revelations of Corruption and Embezzlement—Gates and Wall Street.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Whether Hon. William Sulzer believes in the perseverance of the saints I do not know, as I have not explored his religious opinions, but he most certainly believes in persevering in the cause of human liberty. This is demonstrated by his persistency in endeavoring to aid the cause of the heroic Boers who are fighting so valiantly for their wives, homes and little children.

The recollection of the proceedings of the house on Monday, May 7, will pester the Republicans considerably between now and the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, for the all sufficient reason that the American people, without regard to race, sex or previous condition, love freedom and sympathize with all people everywhere struggling either to achieve it or to retain it after having got it.

I undertake to say without the fear of successful contradiction that nine-tenths of all American citizens have an earnest desire to see the Boers triumph in their struggle with Great Britain, because the Boers are fighting for the same principle for which our fathers fought during the Revolution—the right to govern themselves, and, what's more, they believe that congress ought to voice authoritatively our sympathy with them.

Monday, May 7, Mr. Sulzer undertook to have that very thing done in the house of representatives, but Mr. Sulzer did not succeed in his laudable undertaking. He undertook to have his resolution of sympathy read as a prelude to having it passed. He never even got it read. General David B. Henderson, speaker, would not permit it and squelched Mr. Sulzer. He did not squelch him at the first effort, but he did it finally.

I hereby incorporate an excerpt from The Record, verbatim, without addition or subtraction, showing what Messrs. Sulzer and Henderson said, in order that unbiased readers may form their own opinion as to which of them was right and which was reflecting the will of the American people:

Sulzer's Rights Ignored.

The journal of Saturday's proceedings was read.

Mr. Sulzer—Mr. Speaker, I move to suspend the rules for the purpose of passing the following resolution, which I send to the clerk's desk.

The Speaker—The gentleman from New York is out of order. The journal has not been approved. Without objection the journal will be considered as approved. [After a pause.] The chair hears none.

Other business here intervened, following which came the ensuing dialogue:

Mr. Sulzer—Mr. Speaker, I thought I had the floor.

The Speaker—The gentleman from New York was not recognized.

Mr. Sulzer—I understood that I had the floor and would be recognized as soon as the journal was approved.

The Speaker—The gentleman from New York was not recognized, and the chair may as well state that the chair will recognize no gentleman unless he has some knowledge of what is going to be called up.

Mr. Sulzer—I would like to have the resolution read.

The Speaker—The gentleman has not been recognized.

Other business again occupied the house, after which came the following tilt:

Mr. Sulzer—Mr. Speaker—

The Speaker—For what purpose does the gentleman rise?

Mr. Sulzer—I rise for the purpose of moving a suspension of the rules, this being suspension day, for the purpose of passing a resolution sympathizing with the patriotic Boers in their struggle to maintain their freedom and independence.

The Speaker—The chair declines to recognize the gentleman from New York at this time.

Mr. Sulzer—Does the chair refuse to recognize me because—

The Speaker—The gentleman from New York is out of order.

Mr. Sulzer (continuing)—The speaker is opposed to the resolution?

The Speaker—The gentleman will take his seat; the gentleman is out of order.

Mr. Sulzer—Mr. Speaker, I rise to a parliamentary inquiry.

The Speaker—The gentleman will state it.

Mr. Sulzer—My parliamentary inquiry is, Have I no rights on the floor of this house as a member to move a suspension of the rules on suspension day?

The Speaker—The gentleman is not making a parliamentary inquiry. The chair must exercise his duty to this house and recognize members upon matters which the chair thinks should be considered.

Republican Outrage.

Hon. William Thomas Crawford of North Carolina, Democrat, was ousted from his seat in the house last week and Mr. Richmond Pearson, Republican, seated in his stead, although Crawford was as fairly and clearly elected as was any man who voted to put him out. This was as foul an outrage as was ever perpetrated even by a Republican house, which, as I am fully aware, is putting it strong.

My business is to practice law. Politics is with me only a recreation. In my professional work I long since learned that a fact favorable to my side of a case, stated by a witness for the opposing side, has much more force than if stated by one of my own witnesses. Consequently to establish beyond all cavil that the Republican majority did commit a most palpable outrage against the principle of a free ballot and a fair count—of which they falsely vaunt themselves the special guardians—I shall call no Democratic witness, but will rely on the evidence of an eminent Republican, thoroughly conversant with the facts—to wit, Governor Russell of North Carolina. Surely even Republicans ought to believe him. Here is what he says:

"The truth is," added Governor Russell, "Pearson was fairly beaten by Mr. Crawford. His real complaint is that he did not have votes enough. There are other Republicans in the state who think as I do about it, among them Colonel Lusk and Mr. Smathers. They say that Mr. Crawford ought to want Mr. Pearson to be seated because it means a sweep for Crawford next November. They think it worse than that—it means the loss to us of many seats in the legislature. What is the use of our making the great issue as to honesty in our elections if our own party should perpetrate such a fraud as this? Why, just think of it. The whole city of Asheville is to be flung in the ditch because a colored man was arrested for perjury committed during the contest, long after the election. Why not throw out the whole vote of Buncombe county?"

Bearing Bitter Fruit.

Government by proconsuls is bearing its natural and inevitable fruit in Cuba and elsewhere. That fruit is bitter and nauseating. For a week or two the papers have been full of the scandals touching the wonderful and extraordinary allowances to our officials in Cuba. The question as to them has not been definitely settled, whether these allowances were made with any shadow of legal authority or were made as "a military necessity," a phrase which, like the mantle of charity, is made to cover a multitude of sins. The country had scarcely had time to catch its breath after these startling revelations before the press notified us that a high Republican official over there had got down to plain stealing. His name is Mr. C. F. Neely. For a novice he started out strong, as at his first grab he appears to have cabbaged willfully and feloniously some $36,000 of somebody else's money—Uncle Sam's money or the Cubans' money. While C. F. Neely will not be a name for Republican spellbinders to conjure with this year, it must be said for Mr. Neely that he took his nerve with him when he went to Cuba. I have not been introduced to Mr. Neely and have no chance to study his psychological processes at short range, but I judge that, seeing other no more meritorious proconsuls in the enjoyment of fat "allowances" on the side, he concluded he would make himself an allowance and proceeded to do so without any unnecessary red tape. That he "allowanced" himself at an inopportune season for the Republican spellbinders is patent. He, as a matter of ordinary gratitude to the McHannaites, ought to have postponed feathering his nest until after the election, but his impatience hurried him into doing an untimely piece of business.

What the poor, benighted Cubans, who fought Spain so long to rid themselves of Spanish plunderers and thieves, will think of American plunderers and thieves is a question which is liable to cause some trouble to Mark Hanna, the apostle of Republican purity and sweetness. The Cubans may kick. Then what?

Hitherto I have frequently quoted the Washington Post. As to Mr. Neely, that great organ of goldbuggery, imperialism and high tariff says caustically:

OPEN THE BOOKS IN CUBA!

A former treasurer of the postoffice department in Cuba has just been arrested on a charge of embezzlement of the public funds. The amount specified is $36,000—not enough to endow a college or erect a monastery, but quite sufficient for a modest robber ready to retire from the madding crowd and lead a life of simple ease and plenty ever after. The story further goes on to show that the prisoner, a Mr. C. F. Neely, when arrested, had some $6,000 concealed in his trunk. What became of the remaining $30,000, if it be true that he embezzled that amount, does not appear. No doubt the criminal proceedings will enlighten us, but for that we must contain our souls in patience.

We have already advised the administration to inaugurate an inquiry into our regime in Cuba. This advice was offered in full knowledge of the facts not all of them, perhaps, and in a profound conviction of its imperative importance. For months past we have been hearing sinister and abhorrent rumors from the island. We have been told, on what seemed to be good authority, of profligate and oftimes corrupt wastefulness in the dispensation of the public funds. It has not always seemed to us that we were called upon to ventilate these scandals, and it happens thus that many of them have been ignored, but, in our opinion, the time has come for searching, determined and relentless investigation. The administration is imperatively required, for its own honor and renown, to sift these disgraceful rumors to the bottom. For our part, we need no assurance whatsoever. We believe absolutely in the integrity and high purpose of the government, but these shocking revelations, following so fast upon each other's heels, require explanation, and if the administration would free itself of shame and disrepute—as we believe it to be free in truth—it should waste no time in turning on the light. The American people are justified in their demand for an accounting. To deny them this will be to make confession of recreancy and to envelop the administration in popular suspicion and contempt.

A Democratic Battlecry.

I apprehend that the title of that Post editorial, "Open the Books In Cuba!" will cause the cold chills to chase each other up and down the spinal columns of the McHannaites, for "Open the Books!" was the slogan of that immortal Democrat Thomas A. Hendricks of Indiana in 1884, and it had much to do with the Democratic victory of that year. "Open the Books In Cuba!" will have much to do with the Democratic victory this year. The Post has rendered Democracy a good service by giving it a tiptop battlecry. It will not do to underrate the force of a happy phrase. Lord Wharton always claimed that he whistled King James II out of three kingdoms, and everybody knows what a marvelous part a few jingly sentences, some of them well nigh idiotic, cut in the famous campaign of 1840. But "Open the Books In Cuba!" is not idiotic. It is full of meat and founded on wisdom. The quicker they are opened the better.

In the following words Senator Hoar tears the jingoes and their fantastic arguments into tatters, or, in ring parlance, cuts them into ribbons.

Why, Mr. President, is it credible that any American statesman, that any American senator, that any intelligent American citizen anywhere two years ago could have been found to affirm that a proceeding like that of the Paris treaty could give a just and valid title to sovereignty over a people situated as were the people of those islands? A title of Spain, originally by conquest, never submitted to nor admitted by the people of the islands, with frequent insurrections at different times for centuries, and then the yoke all thrown off, a constitutional government, schools, colleges, churches, universities, hospitals, town governments, a legislature, a cabinet, courts, a code of laws and the whole island occupied and controlled by its people, with the single exception of one city, with taxes lawfully levied and collected, with an army and the beginning of a navy.

And yet the senate, the congress, enacted less than two years ago that the people of Cuba—controlling peaceably no part of their island, levying no taxes in any orderly or peaceable way, with no administration of justice, no cabinet—not only of right ought to be, but were, in fact, a free and independent state. I did not give my assent to that declaration of fact. I assented to the doctrine that they of right ought to be. But I thought the statement of fact much calculated to embarrass the government of the United States, if it were bound by that declaration, and it has been practically disregarded by the administration ever since. But the question now is a very different one. You not only deny that the Filipinos are, but you deny that they of right ought to be, free and independent, and you recognize Spain as entitled to sell to you the sovereignty of an island where she was not at the time occupying a foot of territory, where her soldiers were held captives by the government of the island, a government to which you had delivered over a large number of Spanish prisoners to be held as captives. And yet you come here today and say that they not only are not, but they of right ought not, to be free and independent, and when you are pressed you answer us by talking about mountains of iron and nuggets of gold and trade with China.

I affirm that you cannot get by conquest, and you cannot get by purchase, according to the modern law of nations, according to the law of nations as accepted and expounded by the United States, sovereignty over a people or title to a territory of which the power that undertakes to sell it or the power from whom you undertake to wrest it has not the actual possession and dominion. Under municipal law you cannot buy a horse of which the seller is dispossessed; you cannot buy a foot of land of which he is disseized; you cannot purchase a lawsuit. Under international law you cannot buy a people from a power that has no actual dominion over them. You cannot buy a war. More than this, you cannot buy a tyrant's claim to subject again an oppressed people who have achieved their freedom.

You cannot buy the liberties of a people from a dispossessed tyrant—liberties they have bravely won for themselves in arms. You cannot buy sovereignty like merchandise and men like sheep. The king of England kept, down to 1800, the title of duke of Normandy and king of France. Could any other country or all Europe together have bought France of King George? I wonder what would have happened if, instead of acknowledging our independence, any time before the French treaty France had bought England out and undertaken to assert her title to the United States. These questions have to be answered, not amid the shouting and applause of a political campaign, not in party platforms, not alone in a single campaign or a single generation. They have got to be answered to history, to the instructed conscience of the civilized world, when the passions and the greed and the ambitions of a single generation have gone by and are cold. And there will be to them but one answer.

Gates Goes Free.

When the old woman was informed that the cow had eaten the grindstone, she exclaimed, "I told you so!" I am in her frame of mind. Recently I predicted in these letters that the prosecution against Hon. John W. Gates for cheating, swindling, fleecing and otherwise maltreating other Wall street gamblers would come to naught. That prediction has been fulfilled, a New York judge having liberated Gates. Of course he did. I guess that after the fleeced gamblers had applied arnica to their wounds and had had time to reflect they concluded that, as Gates had already realized a colossal fortune at their expense, he might, if driven to the wall, take it into his head to give the snap away and thereby prevent them from recouping themselves for losses inflicted upon them by Gates by fleecing tenderfoot operators in that perilous street. So Gates goes free to arrange other coups and to throw other thousands out of employment in order that he may pile up a few additional millions.

I wish to repeat that as between Gates and his Wall street opponents it is a choice betwixt tweedledum and tweedledee. When they abuse each other, it is a case of the pot calling the kettle black, but the public has this direct interest in having Gates prosecuted to the full extent of the law—a bona fide prosecution conducted by a brave, resolute, incorruptible prosecuting attorney before a fair, capable, incorruptible court might or might not end in his conviction, but would drag to the light of day the inside working of the wire and steel trust, which is neither better nor worse than the rest of the trusts.

The trusts must be destroyed, or the bulk of the people will be reduced to the condition of Russian serfs or Mexican peons, which God forbid!

Champ Clark

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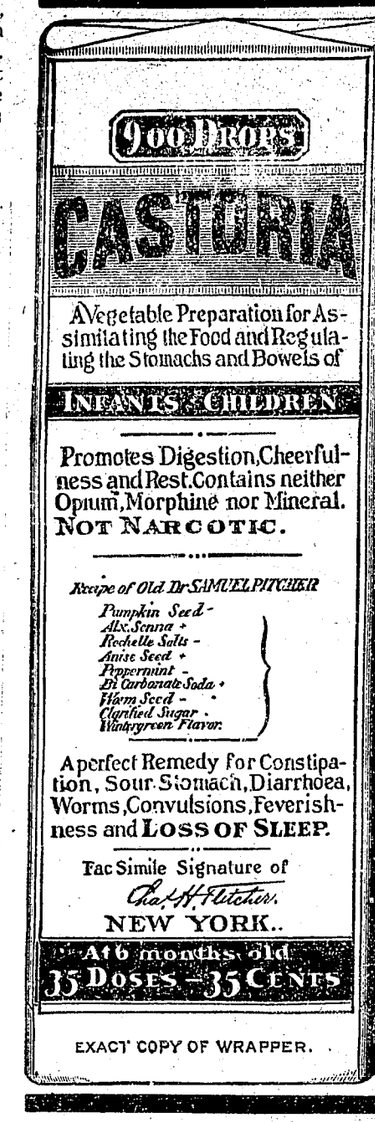

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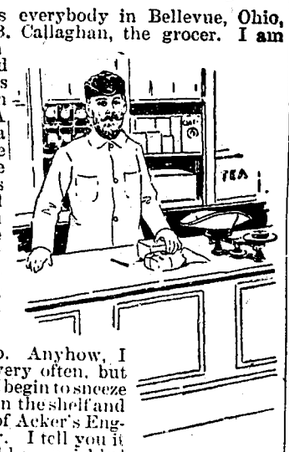

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

Valuable Rules For the Housekeeper—Dish For Luncheon. Wax In Fruits.

If you heat your knife slightly, you can cut hot bread or cakes as smoothly as if cold.

Soda is an excellent article for cleaning tinware. Apply with a damp cloth and rub dry.

Neuralgia may very often be speedily relieved by applying a cloth saturated with essence of peppermint to the seat of pain.

Pails and tubs may be kept from warping by painting them with glycerin.

To clean linoleum without washing remove all the dust; then take a bit of flannel sprinkled with paraffin and rub the linoleum. It will not only make it appear like new, but will preserve it.

A too rapid boiling ruins the flavor of any sauce. It must boil up once, but should never do more than simmer afterward.

Don't think water should be added to spinach to cook it. It is a mistake.

Don't fail to add a drop or two of vanilla flavoring to a pot of chocolate. It is a great improvement.

Don't close the oven door with a bang when cake is baking. The jar has spoiled many a fine loaf.

Don't wonder that corn beef is tough if put into hot water first or that it is too salt if the water is not changed at least three times while boiling.

Don't boil any meat or vegetables rapidly. Simmer is the word for good boiling, else the outside is overcooked, the inside raw.

A Clever Woman's Tact.

A home woman, the owner of one of New York's tiniest flats, has a dark corner in her parlor. It is utterly and uncompromisingly dark, for the room has only one window, while the sides and back are without a ray except the light which creeps along the narrow apartment and is inadequate to the lighting of the room.

Taking a tall, narrow mirror, without bevel or frame other than a rim of wood, she put it across the darkest corner in such a way that it nearly reached the ceiling. Below the mirror she put in a curiously shaped piece of furniture, which could, if cushioned, answer for a couch. As its top lifted it would do for storage.

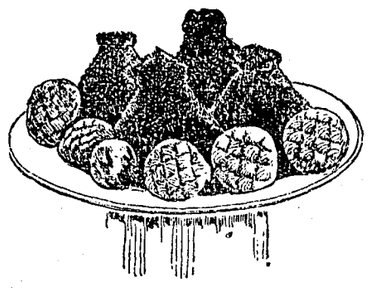
On each side of the mirror were set bookshelves and small cabinets, and in front of it, in the middle of the floor, lay a square rug.

A very neat Venetian lamp was hung from the ceiling just in front of the mirror, and when the lamp was lighted it reflected from the mirror a double ray of light which swept over the room.

The mirror is set in such a way that whatever light comes from the window falls upon it, so that the room looks much lighter and pleasanter than it did before the clever woman put time, ingenuity, handiwork and a little money upon the ornamenting of it.—Chicago Democrat.

Dish For a Luncheon.

To make rice croquettes, boil one cupful of rice in slightly salted water, and when it is tender drain it thoroughly. Add to it while hot one rounded teaspoonful of butter, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and the well beaten yolk of an egg, and whip the mixture thoroughly with a silver fork. When cold,



RICE CROQUETTES.

form it into balls, press four stoned raisins into the center of each and mold into cones. Coat with egg and fine bread crumbs and fry in deep, smoking fat. Serve hot with hard sauce buttons.

Hard sauce buttons are made in this manner: Cream one tablespoonful of butter with three tablespoonfuls of fine sugar, and beat into the mixture half a teaspoonful of vanilla. Form them into buttons and set them in a cold place to harden.—New York Tribune.

Wax In Fruits.

"Put wax in canned fruits and vegetables!" exclaimed a woman while listening to a friend, an experienced housekeeper, giving recipes for making dainty dishes, for which she was famous.

"Certainly I do," the friend replied. "That is the great secret of keeping successfully all kinds of canned fruits and vegetables. It is very simple, and you can see at once why it is so efficient a preservative.

"Into each can or jar drop a piece of wax about half the size of the first joint of your thumb. The fruit or vegetable is hot, of course, when it is poured into the can. The wax, melting forms a thin coating around the top, bottom and sides, a coating which keeps in the juices as well as keeps out the air.

"When you open the can, it is cold, and the coat of wax can be taken off as easily as paper.

"If you have never tried it, you cannot realize its excellence. If you once try it, I'm sure you will never think of any other method."

Dark delft blue burlap was the material used for the wall covering and curtains of a dining room with old fashioned mahogany furniture in it. Plates in dark blue china were placed around the walls.

THE SPORTING WORLD.

Charles Andrew Carver of Chicago, a member of the senior class in the academic department of Yale, who has established a new Yale record as a strong man, is a unique example of persistent effort in gymnastic training. Carver is not by nature a strong man. He has made himself strong by long and careful work.

Carver is 6 feet one-fourth inch in height and weighs 175.5 pounds. He is symmetrically developed, but does not look like a giant. He is the first athlete to establish a record for the strength test according to the rules of the Intercollegiate association, which were only formulated in January. Although Carver has broken all former records at Yale, his record has yet to

CHARLES ANDREW CARVER.

be compared with those that other college athletes will make under the new rules. The directors of the Yale gymnasium believe that Carver will be the winner in the coming intercollegiate strength tests.

The most interesting and unusual record made by Carver is the strength which he exhibited in the test for what gymnasts call "the dip" and the "pull up." He dipped 47 times on the parallel bars and pulled himself up 30 times. The strength of his hands and the strength of his lungs are also remarkably good. His record, measured in kilograms, is 1,754. The best former Yale record was made by Verrill in 1898 and was 1,676 kilograms. These figures mean the measure of the combined tests of different parts of the body—the legs, the back, the chest, the hands and the lungs, all measured in kilograms, according to fixed rules recently laid down by the Intercollegiate Strength Test association.

L. A. W. National Meet.

The executive committee of the League of American Wheelmen that will have charge of the league national meet at Milwaukee this summer is rapidly completing its plans. Martin C. Rotier, former chief consul of the Wisconsin division of the league, has been appointed chairman of the committee on runs. It has been decided that the races will be held in the Milwaukee exposition building, which covers an entire block. It is well lighted and will hold a ten lap board track, which will be constructed under the supervision of Walter Sanger, the former cycle racer. G. G. Greenbaum of the National Cycling association board of control will assist in arranging the race programme.

The Pioneer's annual banquet, which will be an important event in the meet, will be held at White Fish bay, which is three miles from the city limits. The committee is now having designed an artistic badge, one of which, with an illustrated souvenir book of Milwaukee, will be presented to every visitor at the meet.

The Century Road Club of America is planning to have a large delegation of its members attend the meet. This club will organize a century run to be held on the Chicago-Milwaukee course. Another feature of the meet will be a moonlight excursion on Lake Michigan.

P. P. Van Valkenburg, chairman of the league national transportation committee, is at work arranging for special railroad rates for the meet. He has been assured by the railroad companies whose lines run into Chicago that low rates will be given to the cyclers going to the meet and that time extension will be granted on the tickets to enable the excursionists to stop off and visit Chicago, Minneapolis, St. Paul, the dells of Wisconsin and several other points of interest on the route.

A Crack Whist Player.

The following is taken from the New York Sun and is a good instance of the painstaking care in every deal which has given J. B. Elwell the lead this season in both the New York and Brooklyn clubs: "So close is his attention to the drop of the cards that he can recall the spots on every card in all the four hands of every deal in a match. A noted Baltimore player, who visits New York a good deal, did not quite believe this and bet a solid mahogany whist table against it and lost. A woman took the bet. Elwell named every card in each hand of 24 deals played the night before, although he did not know that he was going to be asked to do so. That is what wins."

Charles Murphy's Latest.

Charles Murphy, the mile a minute cycler, has equipped one of his bicycles with an electric storage battery designed to relieve him when he becomes wearied in long races. He has run wires from the battery to the handle bars and will operate the contrivance by means of a switch that is attached to one of the handles. He says that the battery will administer an electric shock sufficiently strong to give him renewed vigor when he is in need of it and that this electric treatment will enable him to outride the most hardy of the road racers.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

The death of the late General Joubert created a vacancy in the vice presidency of the South African Republic. The vacancy has been filled by the selection of Major General Schalk Burger, who has been gazetted as the new vice president. During the present war General Schalk Burger has been in command of a division that has been engaged most of the time about Ladysmith. The new vice president was born in Lydenburg,

MAJOR GENERAL SCHALK BURGER.

Transvaal, in 1852. He is described as a man largely self taught, but a deep thinker and an orator of unusual ability. In the war of independence he served as a field cornet at the head of a district of burghers. He is a member of the United Dutch church and received the order of Jesus Christ from the Portuguese king for a speech at Delagoa Bay on the relations between the Transvaal and Portugal. At the time of his elevation to the vice presidency he was a member of the executive council and at the last national election was the opponent of Kruger in the fight for the presidency.

A Wealth Earning Pen.

It is doubtful if any literary man who ever lived enjoyed so large a continuous income from the work of his pen as Harry B. Smith. He makes more in a single year than the most famous poets made during their whole lives. He writes librettos and musical farces. He practically has a monopoly. He always has more orders than he can fill.

Mr. Smith has now 12 comic operas and musical plays that are being produced. Of these nine are played at least seven times a week. His royalties range from 3½ to 7 per cent.

His royalties from "The Casino Girl" average $140 a performance, or $980 a week, and eight others are practically in the same class.

This brief explanation does not make the statement seem absurd, that last year Mr. Smith's royalties amounted to $96,000. This year they must greatly exceed that amount.

He started to write librettos about 15 years ago. His first, "The Begum," was a success, and pretty nearly everything he has turned out has been a success. When "The Begum" was produced, Mr. Smith was working on the Chicago Tribune for $35 a week. Now at 38, he makes $100,000 a year.

General Brooke at Governors Island.

General John R. Brooke, General Merritt's successor as commanding general of the department of the east, was appointed to the Military academy from Pennsylvania and retires in 1902. He was made a captain in the Fourth Pennsylvania infantry on April 20, 1861, and colonel of the Fifty-third Pennsylvania Nov. 7, 1861, and served through the war. On May 12, 1864, he was made brigadier general for specific distinguished service and was later brevetted major general of volun-

GENERAL JOHN R. BROOKE.

teers. He has held commissions in the regular army from lieutenant colonel to brigadier general. General Brooke has had a wide experience as commander of posts and departments. Beginning at Fort Union, New Mexico, in 1868, and ending with Fort Shaw, Montana, in 1888, he has had command of 28 posts in all between and inclusive of the dates mentioned. He has held the commission of commander of the following departments: Department of the Platte, department of Dakota, department of the Missouri and department of Porto Rico. He also commanded the provisional army corps at Chickamauga park to July, 1898.

A Duke's Practical Son.

Don Jayme, the only son of the Duke of Madrid and therefore the Carlist heir to the Spanish throne, seems to have a practical turn of mind. He has held for some years a commission in the Russian army, but as he received only £800 a year from his father he has found it impossible to make both ends meet, and, together with a friend of his, a young Polish prince, he is now said to be founding a steamship company for the Black sea trade.

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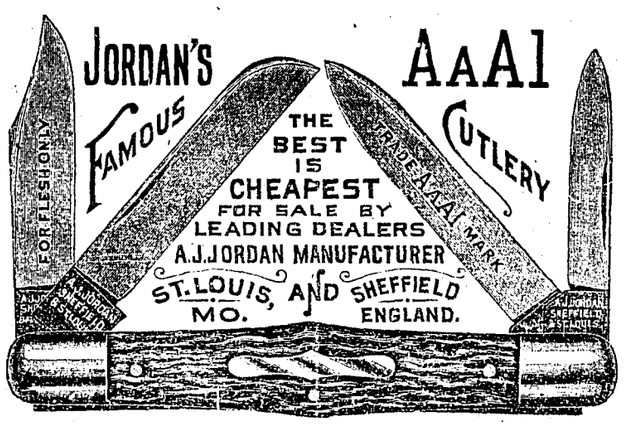

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Wm. McKinley will go down in history as the champion back somersault turner of the world.

Wm. McKinley, the Trusts' office boy, obeys his orders in first rate style. So well has he obeyed his masters that they have agreed to pool a campaign fund of $30,000,000 in order to retain his services.

Voters should remember that in order to vote in the fall elections they must re-register. Every democrat in the county should see to it that he is registered in due time. To make sure of it, register now.

The United States Supreme Court has decided that it has no jurisdiction in the Kentucky governorship affair, consequently Beckham will act as Governor and Taylor, the usurper, will step down and out.

The United States Senate by a vote of 36 to 21 refused to allow the Boer envoys the privilege of the Senate floor this week. Tillman characterized the refusal as "truckling to British alliance."

The Administration has killed the Nicaragua Canal bill for the present, but the people are thankful that Hanna's pet measure, the infamous ship subsidy bill, is also effectually knocked out for the present session.

An exchange says the explosion in Cuba reveals a state of affairs that would cause a blush of shame to every honest citizen in the country. And why, pray? Has any one doubted, for a year past, that we were in Cuba for any thing else but loot? But perhaps the "blush" should come because we have been discovered in our larceny. The discoveries already made are trifling compared with what will yet be developed.

We give in another column the proceedings of the Sacramento Hop Growers' Association in regard to decreasing the hop output. The hop growers of this valley will meet tomorrow to discuss the proposition. The plan of decreasing the supply is a good one if it can be made practical and carried out thruout the entire United States It is far better for a hop grower to sell 40,000 lbs. of hops for 15c per pound than it is to produce 40,000 lbs. and sell for 8c. Every hop grower in the valley should attend Saturday's meeting and give the subject under consideration careful study.

The Sacramento Bee has discovered a serious flaw in the new registration law. Our esteemed contemporary wants to know what is to be done about a register for use at school elections after the present year, as the old printed register can not then be used, and there are many more school districts than election precincts. The DISPATCH gave due and timely warning, while the new law was pending, that it was full of faults and would prove exceedingly vexatious in its practical application. The city dailies ignored the matter and let it go by default. Those who have recently discovered a few of the imbecilities of the new law are saying that the next legislature must revise it, so as to cover school districts. The only proper way to revise it, is to return to the old printed register, and so a majority of the voters will think after the first election under the new law. Just wait until election day and see 'em kick.

MORE INJUNCTIONS.

And now, following the example enforced at Kansas City, government by injunction has been invoked to suppress the great street railway strike at St. Louis. And always, of late, it is the United States courts which interfere in these local matters. Granting that the principle of injunction thus appealed to is correct and that the occasion justifies its exercise, are there no local or State courts which can have jurisdiction of these local matters? And from Idaho comes the news that a United States court has issued an injunction prohibiting the boycotting of Chinese. Under this injunction no two or more persons can agree with each other, or conspire, as it is called, not to employ Chinese, nor to patronize them in any way. Nor can they request their friends to refuse patronage to the Chinese. It makes no difference what the immediate and local circumstances surrounding these cases are. There may be justification for the interference of the proper authorities to preserve order, but the willingness with which the Federal courts interfere in these matters, and the fact that their power is uniformly invoked by the employing classes, proves with unerring accuracy that we are rapidly drifting into a system of government which would have been repugnant to the founders of the nation. It can hardly be called drifting, either. The progress of modern innovations in the administration of affairs, is the result of a widespreading conspiracy of and by the powerful corporations, syndicates and trusts, to get control of every department of the Federal Government, and to so direct its operations as to practically wipe out local authority whenever their own interests are involved. The common people must apply the remedy or take the consequences.

OLD REGISTRATION GOOD.

As the June election for trustees of the various school districts approaches some dispute has arisen as to whether the old Great Register can be used or a re-registration will be required. The matter has been practically settled by Superior Judges Hart and Hughes of Sacramento county, sitting in bank. These judges have decided that the new registration law does not apply to school elections, inasmuch as it appears from the provisions of the Smith Amendment that it is impossible to enforce them in cases of school elections and therefore the old register must be used.

WILL NOT SURRENDER.

The Boers ambushed a detachment of British this week and scattered them pell mell, killing 66 of them. The Transvaal government at Pretoria has notified foreign correspondents that they will not accept the English demands for an unconditional surrender, but they will fight to the bitter end. The situation is again serious and the Boers may destroy everything before giving up.

One trick of the trusts is made manifest by the advance in refined sugars. A newspaper, intent upon a sensation, stated last week that bubonic plague had been discovered in San Francisco; whereupon the Sugar Trust advanced the price of refined sugar all along the line, and the fisherman on the most easterly cape of Maine will have to pay an additional tribute to the giant trust because forsooth somebody got sick in San Francisco. And the trust will clean up a few extra millions, to the strengthening of Hanna's campaign fund.

Even in as plain a case as the Kentucky gubernatorial contest, one Supreme Judge was found who was willing to deprive a State of its constitutional right to control its internal affairs. Justice Harlan wished to overturn a provision of the constitution of Kentucky which has been in force for more than one hundred years, and to nullify a statute a century old.

A Monster Devil Fish

Destroying its victim, is a type of constipation. The power of this murderous malady is felt on organs and nerves and muscles and brain. There's no health till it's overcome. But Dr. King's New Life Pills are a safe and certain cure. Best in the world for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels. Only 25 cents at J. R. Mathews', City Pharmacy.

The Press and Record seem to be exceedingly wrought up over a statement in the DISPATCH a few weeks ago regarding the dissatisfaction among the laborers at Fort Bragg over the small wages paid there. There is seldom a week passes but what some one from Fort Bragg arrives in town and makes a statement regarding the low wages there and that laborers are gradually leaving that place. On May 1st a prominent citizen of Ukiah returned from Fort Bragg and reported the departure of several families that week, and further stated that their leaving would lessen the number of school children in the district. Whether the census was taken before their departure we know not, and care less.

The point that the DISPATCH was getting at is that the "howling success" of McHanna's prosperity has at last raised a "howl" from the laborers, and that trusts and corporations will never do anything of their own free will and accord for the laborer or any one else except themselves unless forced to by law. That laborers should get their eyes open soon and help the people place the government not in the hands of trusts and corporations but in the hands of the people where it rightly belongs.

For the past two years the DISPATCH has advocated the build- of a creamery in this valley. We are pleased to state that some of our enterprising citizens are about to take hold of the project and organize a company for this purpose. Ukiah needs a creamery badly and we are of the opinion that the enterprise would pay handsomely on the investment. Build the creamery by all means.

A number of our coast towns, as well as some in the interior, are already making preparations for celebrating the 4th of July. It has been many years since Ukiah had a celebration. There are many reasons why Ukiah should celebrate and we hope the citizens will take hold of the matter. Here is another opportunity for the Improvement club to take the lead.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it thru the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Hop Growers' Meeting.

A meeting of the hop growers of Ukiah valley and vicinity is hereby called for Saturday, May 26th, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the office of R. McGarvey. Important business to come before the meeting. A full attendance requested.

T. J. FINE, President.

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CREMATION.

ODD FELLOWS' CEMETERY ASSOCIATION, San Francisco, Cal. If the deceased was a member of any organization having a presiding officer and Secretary, the charge for cremation and a copper receptacle for the ashes and organ service is $30. The same for members of the family of such deceased. GEORGE R FLETCHER, Superintendent. m18t4

Census Enumerators For Mendocino County

Census Supervisor S. H. Olmsted, of San Rafael, has appointed the following census enumerators for Mendocino county.

Anderson Township: J. C. Clow.
Fish Rock, Gualala, Garcia precincts: H. J. Randall.
Arena, Mt. View, Manchester precincts: F. W. Slack.
Albion, Comptche, Little River precincts: R. C. Greenough.
Big River, Caspar O. L. Stanley.
Calpella Tp: G. A. Smart.
Cuffey's Cove Tp: G. A. Cameron.
Little Lake Tp: G. Bacchtel.
Long Valley Tp: J. H. Branscomb.
Potter Valley: Silas Blake.
Round Valley Tp: J. G. Dill.
Sanel Tp: S. E. Brooks.
Ukiah Tp: Carl E. Ganter.
Ten Mile Tp: A. L. Rafferty.
Fort Bragg: T. D. Johnson.
Ukiah City: Mrs. Harriett Deering.
Westport Tp: J. R. Blair.

Census Questions.

On June 1st the task of taking the census of the United States will be commenced and the work must be completed by June 30th. For the census of 1900 a new series of questions have been prepared and many objectionable questions have been cut out. Mrs. Deering is the census enumerator for Ukiah City and Carl Ganter for the valley.

The questions to be asked during the taking of the census are as follows:

1. Surname, christian name, initial.
2. Residence, street, number house.
3. Relationship of each member to the head of the family.
4. Color or race.
5. Sex.
6. Age at last birthday.
7. Day, month and year when born.
8. Are you single, married, widower, widow, or divorced.
9. Number of years married.
10. How many children.
11. Ages and nativity of children.
12. Sex of these children.
13. Where were you born? If in the United States, give state or territory; if of foreign birth, give the name of country alone.
14. Where was your father born? Your mother? (Same conditions as the foregoing.
15. If of foreign birth, when did you come to the United States?
16. How many years have you resided in the United States?
17 Have you been naturalized? How many years since you became a citizen?
18. What is your occupation, trade or profession? (This question applies to persons 10 years of age or over.)
19. How many months during the year are you employed?
20. How many months have you attended school?
21. Can you read?
22. Can you write?
23. Give the main facts concerning your education.
24. Do you own the house in which you live?
25. Do you rent the house in which you live?
26. If you own the house, is it free or mortgaged? (The same questions apply to farms.)

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thot she must soon die from pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her of consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1. Trial bottle free at J. R. Mathews', City Pharmacy.

For Sale.

3000 acres, fine stock ranch, on fork of Eel river, 20 miles north of Ukiah, well wooded and watered, excellent range, new house of 7 rooms, orchard and out buildings. 100 acres bottom land for grain. The ranch will keep 2000 sheep or 250 head of cattle. $4.00 per acre, easy terms. Address P. Kothermel, 507 California St., San Francisco, Cal. m11-3p

Board of City Trustees.

The Board met in regular session Monday evening. All present except J. R. Moore.

F. M. Mason was granted an extension of 30 days time on his electric light contract, on account of delay occasioned by getting machinery from the East.

The treasurer's report received and filed.

The offices of city attorney, night watchman and recorder were declared vacant.

J. C. Ruddock was reelected city attorney by a unanimous vote.

G. W. Critchfield was elected city recorder.

Bona Cleveland was elected fireman of electric light plant at a salary of $50 per month.

For night watchman, Geo. Hughes and Wm. York tied each other for several ballots, when the matter was postponed till Wednesday morning.

Geo. Richardson and C. B. Johnson also tied for engineer of electric light works. Laid over till Wednesday.

The usual monthly bills were allowed.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

J. H. Carothers, city clerk, was elected bookkeeper and collector for city lights at a salary of $20 per month.

C. B. Johnson was elected city engineer at a salary of $75 per month.

The matter of selecting a night watchman was laid over until June 1st.

J. C. Ruddock, J. H. Smith and E. B. Gibson appointed a committee to fix rates for the electric lights.

Mrs. M. A. Thomas, who has been in Boston for the past four months undergoing treatment for cancer, returned to this city yesterday. All traces of the cancer are gone and she is enjoying good health.

A Healthy Growth.

Acker's Elixir has gained a firm hold among our people and is acknowledged to be superior to all other preparations. It is a positive cure for all blood and skin diseases. Only fifty cents a bottle and we guarantee it. W. A. Hoffman, Druggist.

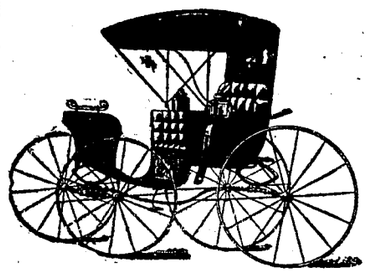
PIANO GIVEN AWAY.

To the Most Popular Church or Society. Contest Begins Tuesday, April 24. Closes August 7.

A number of enterprising merchants of Ukiah City have arranged what will prove a most interesting contest between the schools, churches, lodges and societies of the city. The prize is a beautiful $400 Mahogany Richmond piano, sold and fully guaranteed by Sherman & Clay of San Francisco. The contest begins April 24th and closes August 7, 1900, at 12 o'clock noon, when the votes will be counted and the piano awarded to the organization having the greatest number of votes.

Voting tickets can only be obtained at the following stores with every 25-cent purchase:

Porterfield & Bartlett, Groceries.
Eversole & Templeton, Furniture.
F. Brunner & Son, Hardware.
H. Marks & Co., Dry Goods.
W. H. Miller, Livery.
A. O. Carpenter, Photographer.
L. O. Morby, Harness & Sadlery.
Prosper Hountou, De Parisian Laundry.
Mrs. Thomas & Daughter, La Grande Millinery.
Kent & Young, Cigars & Notions.
E. H. Ewert, Jeweler.



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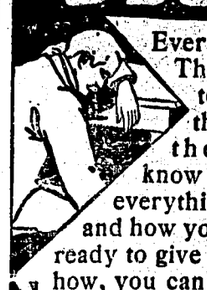

Ever have them? Then we can't tell you anything about them. You know how dark everything looks and how you are about ready to give up. Somehow, you can't throw off the terrible depression.

Are things really so blue? Isn't it your nerves, after all? That's where the trouble is. Your nerves are being poisoned from the impurities in your blood.

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purifies the blood and gives power and stability to the nerves. It makes health and strength, activity and cheerfulness.

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If you have any complaint whatever and desire the best medical advice you can possibly receive, write the doctor freely. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address,
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

J. A. JOYCE, of Willits, hereby announces himself as a candidate for Assemblyman of the 9th district, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

H. P. BUCKMAN, of Hopland, hereby announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor of the 1st District, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

J. C. RUDDOCK hereby announces himself as a candidate for Assemblyman for the 9th District, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

R. E. RADER hereby announces himself for Supervisor of District No. 2, subject to the Democratic County Convention.

C. P. SMITH (present incumbent) hereby announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor of the 2nd District, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

T. J. FINE, of Ukiah Valley, hereby announces himself a candidate for Supervisor for District Number 2, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

R. L. CRANE hereby announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor of the 2nd District, subject to the Republican County Convention.

Order to Show Cause Why Sale of Real Estate Should Not be Made.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY, of Mendocino, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of James T. Rogers, Deceased.

Margaret T. Rogers, administratrix of the estate of James T. Rogers, deceased, having filed her petition herein duly verified, praying for an order of sale of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, it is therefore ordered by the Judge of the said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said Superior Court on Monday the 25th day of June, 1900, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m., at the Court Room of the said Court, at the Court House, at Ukiah, said County and State, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said administratrix to sell so much of the real estate of the deceased, at private sale, as shall be necessary; and that a copy of this order be published at least four successive weeks, in the Mendocino DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT, a newspaper printed and published in said County.

Dated May 25th, 1900. m25 4t

J. M. MANNON, Judge.

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MISCELLANEOUS NEWS ITEMS

Condensed News From Here, There and Everywhere.

A Melange of Occurrences of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

Misses M. Neill and Katrina Busch came in from Potter valley Tuesday.

Mrs. J. F. Barbee has been seriously ill the past week with typhoid pneumonia. For a time her life was almost despaired of, but her many friends will be pleased to hear that she is now out of danger and, with good care will be able to be around in a few weeks.

The hop crop is about two weeks behind time this year, due to the cool spring weather.

The State Prison Directors have been investigating the management of Folsom prison. Charges of demoralization in the force have been made.

F. W. Dooley, the Hopland constable, was a visitor to our city on Wednesday.

Sam Meyer and H. P. Buckman, two of Hopland's energetic business men, were visitors to our burg Wednesday. They report everything flourishing in the land of fruit and hops.

Mrs. Kate St. Ores (nee Luce) of Crescent City, is visiting her parents in this city for a few days.

Miss Bessye Thompson came over from Boonville to attend the commencement exercises of the local high school. She is a guest of Mrs. J. B. Sanford.

M. A. Thomas went to the city yesterday to meet his wife, who arrived from the East that day.

Arthur Hooke and wife, of San Francisco, have been visiting friends in town this week.

Watt Cunningham, who has been attending the State University, is home on his vacation.

Carl Purdy came up from Santa Rosa a few days ago and made a trip entirely around Clear Lake, visiting Lakeport, Kelseyville, Lower Lake, Sulphur Bank, Bartletts and Upper Lake.

The ancients believed that rheumatism was the work of a demon within a man. Any one who has had an attack of sciatic or inflamatory rheumatism will agree that the infliction is demoniac enough to warrant the belief. It has never been claimed that Chamberlain's Pain Balm would cast out demons, but it will cure rheumatism, and hundreds bear testimony to the truth of this statement. One application relieves the pain, and this quick relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. For sale by all dealers.

Charley Mannon is up on a vacation to visit his parents in this city. He graduated from the Hastings Law School last week and has located in San Francisco for the practice of his profession.

Dr. Bond will remove his office to the residence of Mr. Glazier on State street.

The county of Napa is now entirely out of debt.

Bring your empty coal oil cans to J. A. Gibson's and receive cash for them. 1

Jim Rogers, of Willits, and Wm. Dickey, of Potter, were transacting business in town yesterday.

Abel Lodge No. 146, F. & A. M., will meet next Saturday evening, May 26, at 7:30 o'clock. Third Degree. By order of the Master.
W. W. CUNNINGHAM, Sec'y.

The entire business portion of Lakeview, Oregon, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 22nd inst.

I consider it not only a pleasure but a duty I owe to my neighbors to tell about the wonderful cure effected in my case by the timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I was taken very badly with flux and procured a bottle of this remedy. A few doses of it effected a permanent cure. I take pleasure in recommending it to others suffering from that dreadful disease.—J. W. LYNCH, Dorr, W. Va. This remedy is sold by all dealers.

Voting Contest.

The following is the result of the piano voting contest Thursday evening:

M. E. Church, South	7,954
K. of P. Lodge	7,148
High School	7,783
Christian Church	2,523
Public School	1,638
Presbyterian Church	1,099
Catholic Church	524
Convent	848
Odd Fellows	378
Episcopal Church	648
Baptist Church	1,112
St. John's Church	3,541
Woodman	356
Masonic Lodge	368
A. O. U. W	452
Presbyterian Church (Covelo)	5,166
M. E. church (Potter)	154
Central Grange (Willits)	199
Court Laurel (Boonville)	232

There were 10,345 votes cast during last week. All organizations receiving less than 100 votes will not be published. As the city clerk did not have time to count ballots they are now counted by a committee of four business men of the town.

An Epidemic of Whooping Cough.

Last winter during an epidemic of whooping cough my children contracted the disease, having severe coughing spells. We had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy very successfully for croup and naturally turned to it at that time and found it relieved the cough and effected a complete cure.—JOHN E. CLIFFORD, Proprietor Norwood House, Norwood, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by all dealers.

Superior Court.

Estate of W. M. Gordon, deceased—Wm. Dunn appointed administrator; bonds $680.

Estate of John Lyons, deceased—John Taylor appointed administrator.

Estate of J. S. Reed, deceased—Will admitted to probate. Mrs. A. M. Reed appointed executrix without bonds.

Estate of Wm. Ballinger, deceased—W. S. Stanley appointed executor; bonds $5650.

Estate and guardianship of Hilja Nevanpera—W. J. Sander appointed guardian; bonds $1500.

Estate of A. Higgins, deceased—Will admitted to probate.

Clinton E. Ganter vs Maggie Ganter—Decree of divorce granted.

Cold Steel or Death.

"There is but one small chance to save your life and that is thru an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvellous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Price 50c at J. R. Mathews' City Pharmacy.

H. P. Buckman, of Hopland, announces his candidacy for Supervisor of the 1st district in this issue. Mr. Buckman is a democrat of long standing, has served on the central committee and has always been true to the cause he represents. He is a business man of ability and has made many friends thruout the county. He owns a large stock ranch near Hopland and conducts a livery and feed business there. He has also been extensively engaged in stock buying. If Mr. Buckman secures the nomination, he will make his opponent know he has been in a fight before the election is over.

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

The Revolt Against Glitter—A Swing Porch Seat—Novel Fruit Piece For Table.

After a riot of shine and sparkle the weathercock of popular fancy has suddenly veered about.

A ruthless campaign is now being waged against glitter.

This applies to all the implements and decorative things with which our rooms are fairly strewn nowadays.

Silver candlesticks, dishes, trays, bowls, teapots, each and all of the many trifles that go to make up the outfit of the dining table, dressing table or writing desk must glow (we even have to be careful how we use the word "shine") with a chastened luster.

They may not show one spark of glitter.

The innumerable things that are made in brass are now cunningly treated to a dull finish, and they gain immensely in attractiveness by the change.

For the relief of careful housewives who groaned over the daily polishing of the domestic brasswork a transparent lacquer was devised which covered the surfaces and prevented them from tarnishing, says the Philadelphia Press.

An artist made the harrowing discovery that his brass lamp had been put through this labor saving process, and it was not until he got every trace of the stuff off that peace returned to him. It took days of hard rubbing, helped out with liberal applications of acid, to do it, but he now points with conscious pride to his softly burnished brass.

Another thing may be said of dull finished metal. It offers no unseemly contrasts either to old things or new. Almost all of us have, at one time or another, come triumphantly home with some resplendent little affair, only to find, when it was stood up among our other possessions, that its heartless glisten made the whole place seem colorless if not actually shabby.

It had a painfully new look which never let it seem quite at home.

This change is not owing to a desire to have one's newly bought things masquerade as antiques.

It is the natural revolt against the much brilliance, which was often mere shininess, that had been flashing at you from every corner until you thought longingly of the eyeless fishes of Mammoth cave.

There is one thing that is to be said of most of the innovations that are sprung upon us in these variable days, and that is that they are usually founded on principles of good taste and common sense.

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Mrs. Chisholm and children, Mrs. Marsh and W. J. Dixon, all of Fort Bragg, were at the Palace Monday.

The protracted meeting at the Christian church is still in progress. Preaching every night.

The "Call" denies that there has been a single case of bubonic plague in San Francisco, and defies the Board of health to prove that there has.

A party of young people including several members of the DISPATCH force visited Lakeport Sunday last. They registered at the Hotel Geilsman and say they were royally treated by the popular proprietor, Mr. Al Spurr.

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MENDOCINO NEWS.

MENDOCINO, May 23.

This has been a busy week in this little town. The seniors of the local high are making preparations for commencement: Christian Endeavorers are getting ready to receive delegates from the county, and, taking all in all, it is keeping our young folks busy.

Owing to a strong north wind the steamer Point Arena was twelve hours late yesterday.

Miss Olga Soljind returned yesterday from a several weeks visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. L. Dodge and son Morse left last Sunday for a three months' visit to relatives in Detroit, Mich. Mr. Dodge accompanied them to San Francisco.

Wm. Monroe, clerk at the Alhambra, has charge of the ticket office for the Johnson line during the absence of Gus Leighton.

Mr. Worden, of Point Arena, is now clerking at the Occidental hotel while Gus Leighton enjoys a well earned vacation in the metropolis.

Word came last night that Carl White, of Oakland, passed away at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. It was very unexpected. Mr. White is closely related to Prince Gray and family and much sympathy is given them and the host of friends who knew and loved Mr. White.

Prof. Drew, of Berkeley, examined the classes at the high last week. He had nothing but praise for the classes he examined.

A. H. Vachell, of San Jose, has been enjoying the fishing and hunting facilities of our vicinity this past week.

The mill at this place will close in a few days, as there are no more logs in the river.

The railroad up the river is a sure thing now. The work is being pushed ahead and no doubt will be completed by the first of July. The woods crew of Perkins camp and same from Al Johnson's camp will be put on the working crew.

We understand that Mr. Kinslow, of Santa Rosa, has been engaged by the class 1900 to sing at their exercises next Thursday evening. This will be a treat to the music loving public. This class, who are now the center of all thots and admiration, is composed of the following members: Rodney Phillips, President, Charlotte Gray, Clara Bither, Lulu Smith, Sine Packard, Will Hurley, Ida Bever, Maude Weller, Francis Merrill, Rena Dartt, Adelaide Gray, Eva Milliken, Ed Brown, Minnie Wainwright, and Florence Piersol.

MENDO.

Monroe Items.

MONROE, May 12.

Since there has not been any news from this part of the county, I will try and see what I can do in making the people think that Hollow tree is not behind time if it is nothing but a bark peeling vicinity.

John G. Williams left for Cape Nome last week where he intends to spend the summer in digging for the yellow metal. We all wish the young man good success and a pleasant trip, and we will all be glad to see the time for him to return home.

The Jefferson school was closed last Friday by Mrs. Maggie Greenwell, of Laytonville. But she is going to stay with us till after the school election.

The bark men are offering high wages for bark peelers as men are very scarce on the coast. Some are leaving for Cape Nome. Every other Sunday we have church, as the minister of Usal comes out and gives us some very good sermons. We hope Rev. J. F. Carney will have good success in his efforts.

Judge Dunn, of Westport, is going to take lots of bark this coming season out of Hollow Tree.

BARK PEELER.

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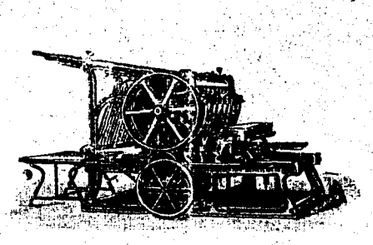

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FOR THE FARMER

Farming as a profession under present and prospective conditions must inevitably become more and more attractive to right minded men, says Texas Farm and Ranch. The crude methods and meager returns of the past are being superseded by the results of profound study and practical experimentation. Heretofore we have had educated farmers who knew no more of the fundamental principles of agriculture than a Jewish haberdasher. Many of them who could read Cæsar's "De Bello Gallico" or the "Iliad" in the original tongue did not know that nitrogen was chiefly responsible for the dark green color in growing wheat, which so delighted their eyes. They could demonstrate the "problem of the lights," but could not calculate a balanced ration for old Brindle. They might know the political history of the country from Alexander Hamilton to William McKinley without knowing the difference between a Flanderian escutcheon and a Mexican brand on a broncho. They were educated in all the modern sciences, but didn't know that chemistry had anything to do with feeding cattle or nourishing corn or cotton. But the agricultural colleges are changing all that and are turning out farmers who can give a reason for agricultural processes, who can tell what kind of food is needed by a cow or a stalk of corn, how to fatten a beef or a field at the least possible cost. These colleges are not turning loose enough such farmers, but it is not the fault of the colleges, but the number who leave their alma mater for the farm is increasing every year, and every such farmer becomes a teacher, with all his neighbors for pupils. There has been a wonderful improvement in recent years, and there is room for more.

Cowpeas In the North.

We have thought the cowpea was better adapted to a southern climate than to New England, but Mrs. George A. Downs writes to The Practical Farmer that she has grown them for five years past in southern Vermont with satisfactory results; has tried the Black, the Clay and Warren's Extra Early and finds the latter to produce more seed and more foliage than either of the others. Last year sowed in drills 2½ feet apart. It covered the ground three feet high on soil where clover would not have grown, judging by 20 years of past experience. When used as ensilage, the cowpea silage alone produced 2½ pounds of milk per cow daily, more than corn ensilage with 6 to 8 cents' worth of bran and oil meal added. In another test a grade Jersey heifer fed on corn, cut up ears and all, and Canada pea hay, with 7 cents' worth of bran and oil meal a day, made nine pounds of butter a week. Dropping all grain and giving cowpea hay instead of that from Canada pea, she made 11 pounds a week. This variety produced ten bushels of seed per acre, and the hay was cut before there was danger of frost.

Irish Tobacco Growing.

It has been found that tobacco can be successfully grown in Ireland, says The American Cultivator. This is not strange considering the fact that tobacco is grown in this country in northern states, where the seasons for growth are shorter than in Ireland. But there is always a good deal of moisture in the Irish summer. It is caused, in fact, by its nearness to the gulf stream, which makes the island warm and gives its reputation of being always vernal. The moisture in the air injures the quality of the tobacco, as it makes that moist. So, though the plant grows most luxuriantly and is a very paying crop, Irish grown tobacco is not likely to become so popular as to displace that grown under our own bright, sunny skies. The lack of sunshine in summer makes Irish grown tobacco rank and poorly flavored. What the Irish people grow of tobacco will quite likely be largely used by themselves. Those who want the best tobacco and can pay for it will use either the American or some other imported product.

Mixed Grain and Hogs.

Under a good manufacturing system each thousand bushels of mixed grain should return 12,500 pounds of live weight in hogs. It is putting a big bulk in a smaller package of less cost in transportation at advanced prices for grain consumed and leaving at least 30 per cent of manurial value to be returned to the farm. And yet the lamentable fact remains that on six out of ten hog farms this last big item is often partly or entirely lost, all for want of skill and system.—Theo. Louis.

Trimming Trees.

Trim the fruit trees so as to have the top open and free, not allowing any of the limbs to touch or cross each other. Much depends upon the first trimming of a young tree, as its shape is then fixed, and the cutting away of the small limbs can be done with less injury to the tree when it is young than at any other time.

Picking Strawberries.

The way to get the biggest possible yield from your strawberry bed this season is to pick off every berry, little and big, as soon as ripe. I pick off and throw away nubbins and decayed fruit and am on the watch for curled leaves where the strawberry leaf roller is hidden.—Abner Hollingsworth in Farm Journal.

Summer Hog Markets.

The Cincinnati Price Current estimates western hog supplies for the summer season closing with October as 500,000 to 1,000,000 hogs below last year.

CORN HUSKS UTILIZED.

Arlington (Ills.) Man Pays Farmers $7 a Ton For the Product.

Prodigal sons of today would have a tough time feeding on corn husks, but Michael Young, near Kewanee, Ills., has made it possible for some farmers to pay the rent of their land in the food which the young man in the parable shared with the swine, says the Chicago Record. Had he lived in Bureau county, Ills., he could have eaten all he desired and sold the remainder for $7 a ton.

A few years ago Young, who was in business at Arlington, began buying corn husks from the neighboring farmers. He erected a single building, in which he set up some machinery with which the husks were shredded. The manufactured product found ready market for mattresses. Another building was added, and then the third and fourth, until now there is a row of them standing back from the track. Corn husks from all parts of Bureau and Henry counties are brought in by the ton and disposed of to the manufacturer, who wishes he had ten times the quantity within reach.

After the corn is husked the farmer clips the husk from the stalk with a pair of shears. After the husks are put through the machines the product is baled and shipped away by the carload.

New Ship Channel Signals.

To accurately show the location of a ship channel in a harbor, a new signal system has a series of anchored stations carrying audible signals, which are connected by cables with a motor on shore, the latter pulling the cables at intervals to give positive signals.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Drainage and Warmth.

Even as spring water seems warm in the winter and delightfully cool in summer, although it is at practically the same temperature the season through, so also land that is well drained will be warm enough for the germination of the seed earlier in the spring than undrained soil, and in the hot days of summer it will not get—as undrained land would—so hot as to parch and dry up the roots of tender plants.

The Massachusetts house of representatives has passed a bill providing for the use of reformed spelling in the public documents of the state.

Barbed wire will probably be classed hereafter as war material, as it has been used with such good effect in the Spanish and English-Boer wars.

The new sewage farms near Paris are giving trouble, as it is found that the local wells are infected, and an epidemic of intestinal troubles has ensued.

Apothecary shops with women clerks are not only becoming more common in Russia, but they are said to be specially favored by physicians and the public.

Nelson was 39 when he won the victory of the Nile. Wellington was only 40 when he opened the Peninsular war. Cromwell was 46 when he won at Naseby.

One of the Dominion line steamers has been provided with a complete laundry which is capable of caring for the ship's wash and that of the passengers as well.

Two hundred and fifty of the Paris police are to be mounted on bicycles. They will carry a saber on the handle in the daytime, and a revolver will be attached to the shoulder at night.

We all covet strength and admire it. We look at the marvelous muscular development of a Sandow with envy and straightway resolve to buy a pair of dumb bells and get strong, as if the secret of strength lay in muscles.

Strength begins in the stomach. It begins there because there the strength elements are manufactured, and from there they are distributed to blood, bone, brain, muscle and nerve. If you want to begin to be strong, start with the stomach. Put the digestive and nutritive organs and blood making glands in perfect working order. That is the foundation of strength. Exercise puts on the superstructure of development.

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"About twelve years ago I was suddenly taken with a pain in the pit of the stomach which was so violent I could not walk straight," writes O. S. Copenhaver, Esq., of Mount Union, Huntingdon Co., Pa., (Box 222). "It would grow more severe until it caused waterbrash and vomiting of a slimy yellow water. I consulted a physician and he told me I had a form of dyspepsia and treated me for about six months with but little benefit. I still kept getting so weak I could scarcely walk. I then tried another physician and he told me my liver was out of order and that I had indigestion. He gave me a treatment and I got some better but only for a short time. I then took to using several widely advertised patent medicines, but received no more than temporary relief while using. I then tried Dr. Pierce's medicines, using his 'Golden Medical Discovery,' 'Favorite Prescription' and the 'Pleasant Pellets,' and in two months' time I was feeling better than I had for years before. I can truthfully say Dr. Pierce's medicines did me more good than any I had ever taken."

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PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Charles A. Towne of Minnesota has been nominated by the People's Party for vice president of the United States. The ticket, which was made at Sioux Falls, contains the name of William J. Bryan as the candidate for president. Mr. Towne has been prominent in the agitation of the silver question and left the Republican party with Senator Teller and others because of dissatisfaction with the party's attitude on the

CHARLES A. TOWNE.

question of free coinage at the convention of 1896. Mr. Towne represented the Sixth Minnesota district in the Fifty-fourth congress. He is at present president of the national Silver Republican party. This party will hold a national nominating convention in Kansas City on July 4, at the same time and place of the Democratic national convention.

Levi P. Morton, Farmer.

The merging of ex-Vice President Levi P. Morton's trust company marks his final retirement from all business cares except those which cluster about his beautiful home, Ellerslie, near Rhinecliff. He is now free to devote himself entirely to his favorite pursuit—chicken raising.

Mr. Morton has long been an authority on Jersey cattle, but his fame as a chicken raiser is only now being exploited. He possesses, so experts say, the finest hennery in the world. His 15 incubators hatch out annually hundreds of chicks that delight those who dine at the Waldorf-Astoria, Delmonico's, Sherry's and the fashionable clubs.

Mr. Morton is an ideal gentleman farmer, except that he spoils tradition by making money. The income from his hennery, dairy and vegetable garden is more than $25,000 a year, half the salary of President McKinley. His cow barn at Ellerslie cost $250,000. All the stalls are lighted by electricity, and all the cows are fastened by nickel plated chains. Every cow is brushed and curried daily and instead of being turned out to pasture is given two hours' exercise out of 24, this being one of the owner's ways of avoiding disease.

Now that Mr. Morton has abandoned banking, he will busy himself by selling spring chickens at $2.50 and $3 a pair, milk at 12 cents and cream at 60 cents a quart and all his vegetables at 50 per cent more than any one else receives.

For Vice President.

The Populists seem to have a fondness for Minnesota men when it comes to naming candidates for vice president of the United States. The regular or "fusion" wing nominated Charles A. Towne, and the Middle of the Roaders named Ignatius Donnelly as a running mate with Wharton Barker. Mr. Donnelly has long been identified with third party movements. He was active in the Greenback, Union Labor and

IGNATIUS DONNELLY.

Farmers' Alliance movements and was one of the organizers of the People's Party in Omaha in 1892. He opposed the nomination of William J. Bryan at the People's Party convention in 1896 and has since that time been identified with the Middle of the Road element, which is now presenting him as its candidate for vice president. Mr. Donnelly is an editor, and some of his books have been widely read. He is also author of the famous "cryptogram," a unique cipher by means of which he claimed to prove that Lord Bacon was the author of the plays and poems generally accredited to Shakespeare.

Millionaire's Busy Life.

Mr. John W. Mackay is a multimillionaire who gets board, lodging and three or four suits of clothes a year out of his large wealth. They say his wants are few and his life so simple that probably $6,000 covers his personal expenses. You are as apt to run across him in New York as in San Francisco, in Mexico as in Montreal, and often you will glimpse him in London or Paris. Mrs. Mackay, however, lives in London, with an annual credit of $200,000, very comfortably and keeps the Mackay wealth from stagnating.—Buffalo Commercial.

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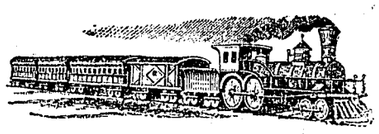

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Business men should take notice that under the new law no more printed copies of the Great Register of the county will be issued. This office has on hand a few copies of the Register of 1898, the latest, which are offered for sale at $1.00 a copy. They will be found exceedingly useful in the hands of business men, merchants etc., as they contain the post office addresses and occupation, of nearly every voter in the county, they are invaluable in sending out circulars, business advertisements, etc. Mailed on receipt of price.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of sale made and entered by the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, on the 13th day of August, A. D., 1894, in the matter of the estate of Jacob Haehl, deceased, the undersigned executrix of said estate, will sell at public auction, subject to confirmation by said court, the following described real property situated in Mendocino County, State of California, towit:

1. Being part of W½ of SW¼, Sec. 29, T. 18 N, R. 13 W, M. D. M, towit, beginning at the S. W. Corner of Sec. 29, thence north following sectional line between Secs. 29 and 30, 130 rods, thence east 80 rods, thence south 130 rods, thence west following sectional line between secs. 29 and 32, 80 rods to the place of beginning, Var. 17° 30' E.—containing 65 acres, more or less.

2. Also being part of the NW¼ of the NW¼ of Sec. 32, beginning at the N. W. Corner of Sec. 32, thence east following sectional line between Secs. 29 and 32, 33 and 50-100 rods, thence S. 36° 30' W. 16 rods to the center of the public road leading to Ukiah, thence following the public road N. 70' W. 25 and 33-100 rods, thence north following sectional line between Secs. 31 and 32, 4 rods to place of beginning, Var. 17° 30' E.—containing 1½ acres of land, more or less.

Said sale will be made on the 9th day of June A. D. 1900, at 2 P. M. at the court house door, in Ukiah, in said County and State; terms of sale cash. Deeds at expense of purchasers.

MARY A. HAEHL,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Jacob Haehl, deceased.
Dated, May 15, 1900.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Michael Cunningham, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Michael Cunningham, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the law office of J. C. Ruddock, Ukiah Mendocino County, California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated Ukiah, Cal., May 14, 1900.

JOHN CUNNINGHAM,
Executor of the last will and testament of Michael Cunningham, deceased.
J. C. RUDDOCK, Attorney for Executor. 4t.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

I will sell any of the land of the estate of J. T. Rogers, deceased, for which I can get full value. It consists of town lots in Westport and the following described timber land:

1. N. E. ¼ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 22, T. 21 N., R. 17 W., M. D. M.
2. E. ½ of S. E. ¼ and S. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼, Sec. 11, T. 21 N., R. 17 W., M. D. M.
3. E. ½ of S. W. ¼ and E. ½ of N. W. ¼, Sec. 33, T. 21 N., R. 16 W., M. D. M.

Offers may be addressed to Mrs. M. T. Rogers, Ukiah, Cal., Administratrix; or Seawell & Pemberton, Attorneys, Ukiah, Cal. 4t13.

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.—Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Ballenger, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said William Ballenger, deceased, and for hearing the application of William S. Stanley for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN, County Clerk.
WHITE & THOMAS, Attorneys for Petitioner.
Dated May 3, 1900. m6

Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.—Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of William Isbell, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 11th day of June, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said William Isbell, deceased, and for hearing the application of Mary W. Isbell for the issuance to her of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

HALE McCOWEN, County Clerk.
WHITE & THOMAS, Attorneys for Petitioner.
Dated May 22, 1900.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE of California in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of John Lyons, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of John Lyons, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his office in the town of Ukiah City, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

JOHN TAYLOR
Administrator of the estate of John Lyons, deceased.
Dated May 23, 1900.
A. J. THATCHER, Attorney for the Estate.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

J. B. Melton,
vs
Frank Randolph.

ORDER OF SALE AND DECREE OF FORECLOSURE and Sale.—Sheriff's Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, on the 17th day of May, 1900, A. D., in the above entitled action, wherein J. B. Melton, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Frank Randolph, defendant, on the 14th day of May, 1900, A. D., for the sum of thirteen hundred, fifty eight and 20-100 ($1358.20) dollars, in United States Gold Coin, besides interest, costs and counsel fees amounting in all to $1510.20, which said decree was, on the 16th day of May, 1900, A. D., recorded in Judgment Book 6 of said Court, at page . . I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, towit:

Commencing at a stake marked "L. R.," from which a live oak 6 inches in diameter, marked "L. R. B. T.," bears N. 77° E. 31½ links, said stake stands 6 chains East of the Southwest corner of lot 103 of Healey's Survey and Map of Yokayo Rancho; thence running East Mag. var. 16° 45' E. 28 chains to a post marked "L. R. 2," from which a white oak tree 4½ feet in diameter, marked "L. R. 2 B. T." bears West 4.06 chains; thence North 14.23 chains to a point from which a white oak tree 4 inches in diameter, marked "L R. 3 B T." bears S. 24½° E. 19 links; thence S. 69½° W. 8.50 chains to post marked "L. R. 4," from which a black oak tree 3 feet in diameter bears S. 65½° W. 41 links; thence S. 81½° W. 5.75 chains; thence S. 54° W. 17.64 chains to the point of beginning, containing 23.89 acres of land, and being part of lot 103 of said survey and Rancho, the same land conveyed by George A. Lane and wife to the mortgagor herein.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday the 16th day of June, A. D. 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated May 21st, 1900.

J. H. SMITH, Sheriff.
By J. R. THOMAS, Under-Sheriff.

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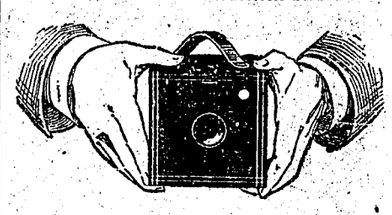

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THE HOUSEHOLD.

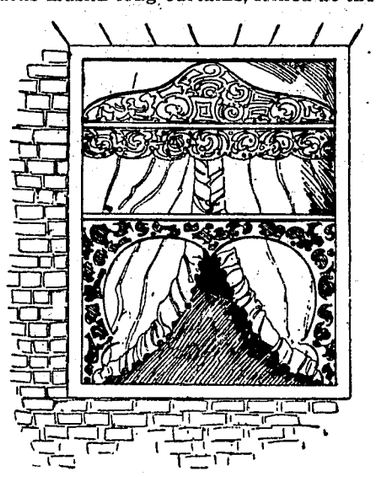
Make Breakfast an Attractive Meal, Window Draperies—Frames For Photographs.

The young housekeeper as she looks through her cookbooks is likely to come to the conclusion that breakfast is an unimportant and unnecessary meal. Perhaps with a supposition that the continental breakfast with its roll and coffee is the rule recipes for luncheons and dinners simply abound, while the first meal of the day is left to solve itself as best it may. It is a meal, however, that is worthy better treatment. for it has an influence reaching over the whole day. A cup of muddy coffee, an egg that has cooked too long, toast that is scorched, cast a gloom over the morning. The appetite is unreliable in the morning and should be coaxed. If as much attention were paid toward making the meal attractive in its way as toward making the dinner attractive the family breakfast would soon cease to deserve the title of "the most solemn function of the day."

An old fashioned country dish for breakfast that might prove welcome as a change is fried pork with cream gravy. Have one-half pound of salt pork cut in thin slices, wash them well, trim off the rind. Spread the slices in a large frying pan and cover them with cold water. Place the pan on the stove to heat and just as the water nears the boiling point remove quickly and take out the pork. If the water really boils, the meat becomes tough. Now dip each slice in flour and replace them in the pan from which the water has been emptied and fry them to a delicate brown. Transfer them to a heated platter and keep warm. Pour off most of the fat, leaving about two tablespoonfuls in the pan. Into this hot fat sift one heaping teaspoonful of flour. Stir until smooth, then add one cupful of milk. Season with pepper, boil up once and pour over the pork. The genuine country way of making this dish was to use cream in place of the milk, and the result was just so much better. Baked potatoes should be served with it.

Window Draperies.

The sash window illustrated is quite ordinary as regards build, but is decorated in a somewhat novel manner. At the top is the fashionable blind of cream linen and net applique, and behind this is a pair of ecru lace or Madras muslin long curtains, frilled at the



NOVEL DECORATION.

sides and draped back with ribbon sashes low down. Into the lower half of the window is fitted a white enameled wood arched frame, perforated in a fancy design. This treatment is a change from the ordinary window drapery and looks charmingly pretty against a cream painted or red brick house.

Frames For Photographs.

The newest frames for photographs are white linen with a narrow border of gilt or silver or perhaps only corners of the metal. The linen comes already stamped to be embroidered in white or colored floss. It is fitted inside the frame just as a mat would be and can be removed and cleansed when soiled. Floral designs are most popular, although flags may be used when a soldier's picture is to be framed or university emblems used for a college man's picture.

Sometimes a narrow white enameled border is used instead of the silver or gilt. It all depends upon whether you want the effect to be dainty or gay.

Pretty colonial frames for old fashioned portraits may be made by cutting an oval or round opening in cardboard of the desired size and covering it with bits of antique silk or quaint modern material. The effect may be heightened by adding lover's knots, wreaths or similar decorative designs in brass. These can be got at an upholsterer's. Individual taste will dictate their arrangement, although in general it may be said that they look best above the center of the frame on the upper side.

Grass Cloth For Upholstery.

At this time of year, when the first warm days bring a desire to banish heavy draperies and carpets, plush and woolen cushions and everything that has the slightest suggestion of stuffiness, India grass cloth is one of the most prized fabrics. It not only looks cool, but it is so. It is not as expensive as it appears. It is excellent for pillow and cushion coverings and for covering couches, chairs and the tops of tables. It comes in stripes of many varieties, colored in the satisfactory oriental fashion, and is adapted to almost any kind of wood, although it looks particularly well with the green stain so much in fashion for summer furniture.

Large tassels made of linen thread in the same colors as the grass cloth are most effective as a finish for such corners and the like.

Next to grass cloth, linens and denims, which come in all grades from the coarse, cheap sort that are effective for certain purposes to the finest varieties, are popular for summer furnishings.

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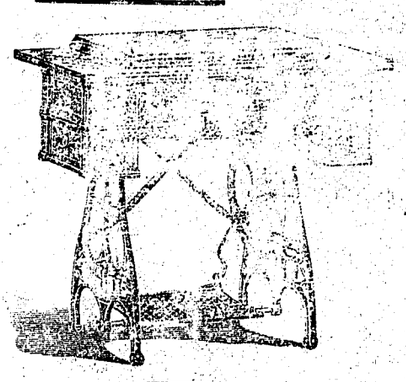

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